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BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Subject No. 270.

Revision of House Tax in Bangalore Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—The assessment on houses and shops in the Bangalore City should be fixed at 5 per cent on the rental value. This is provided in the Municipal Regulation.

Dewan's reply.—A revision of the house tax has already been ordered, the result will be awaited.

Subject No. 271.

Courtesy of language in summonses and requisitions of Courts.

Summary of discussion.—In the forms of summonses and notices used by Courts, Civil and Revenue, the singular pronoun is used in addressing all persons. This should be corrected and directions given for the use of proper language.

Dewan's reply.—Noted. There is an order to that effect. The Chief Court will be requested to issue a circular order calling attention to the instructions contained in the late Judicial Commissioner's Circular No. 39, dated 4th November 1891 in which the word "Ninu" and all its formations in the singular number were ordered to be altered into "Nivu" and its formation in the plural number wherever they occur in the forms of summonses to be issued by Courts.

Subject No. 272.

Repayment of loan to Closepet Municipality.

Summary of discussion—A sum of Rs. 10,000 has been sanctioned for works of sanitation and improvement for the Closepet Town, as per proposals of the Sanitary Engineer. Not more than one-fourth of the annual Municipal revenue may be ordered to be paid towards the repayment of the above sum. Otherwise, the remainder would not be sufficient for the ordinary conservancy establishments and repairs.

Dewan's reply.—By Government Proceedings No. 8764-5—604, dated 23rd October 1890, the loan is repayable by instalments of Rs. 1,333 per annum from Municipal revenue. This seemed practicable. But if it be unsuitable, let the necessary representation with full explanations be made by the Municipal Board through the Deputy Commissioner and the question will be reconsidered.

Subject No. 273.

Price of Fort stones should be paid to the local Municipality.

Summary of discussion—Fort stones in Municipal Towns are utilized free of charge by the D. P. W. The value of such stones at proper rates should be ordered to be paid by the D. P. W. to the Municipality.

Dewan's reply.—There is no good reason for this, the Fort walls are not the property of the local community. It is an instruction to the P. W. D. to allow for the value of these stones in estimates for works in which they are used.

Subject No. 274.

Drinking water facilities at Channapatna.

Summary of discussion.—Arrangements ought to be made for water-supply to school students and travellers, &c., at Channapatna.

Dewan's reply.—This is a subject for consideration and disposal by the local Municipal and District Fund Boards.

Subject No. 275.

Civil powers for Amildars.

Summary of discussion.—Amildars should be invested with civil powers in cases of small value.

Dewan's reply.—Inexpedient.

Subject No. 276.

Land Revenue on land within Municipal limits to be credited to Municipal Revenue.

Summary of discussion.—The assessment on lands within Municipal limits at Dodballapur are credited to Government. It is requested that as the lands are within Municipal limits, the Land revenue accruing therefrom may be credited to the Municipality.

Dewan's reply.—Not necessarily. But represent to the Deputy Commissioner in the first instance. The remarks made in reply in Subject No. 57 are applicable here also.